# COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED PRIOR TO ADJOURNMENT AND NOT ACTED UPON

The following communication was received prior to adjournment and was not reported or acted upon by the House:

#### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

May 19, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

I am writing to inform you that I have vetoed Chapter No. 88, H. F. No. 2461, a bill related to transportation funding.

Legislators have known for many months this legislation would be vetoed. I am disappointed the legislature spent so much time advancing this bill simply to make a political point. It seems time would be better spent on matters which actually have a chance of being accomplished. I am vetoing this bill for numerous reasons.

First, this legislation would significantly increase state tax burdens for Minnesota citizens. The bill increased the state gasoline tax by 10 cents per gallon, which is a 50% increase. At a time when gasoline prices are at an historic high, it is particularly unwise to be increasing the gas tax burden on Minnesota families. Notwithstanding these concerns, I have repeatedly expressed an openness to placing the issue of a gas tax increase before the voters as a compromise with legislators who seek a gas tax increase. That offer unfortunately has been ignored.

Second, continuing a troubling recent pattern, the bill also contains dramatic flaws and errors which justify a veto by themselves. This legislation eliminates any transfer of Motor Vehicle Sales Tax revenues from the state's general fund to transportation purposes during the FY 2006-07 biennium. Such transfers have been a significant component of our commitment to the state's transportation system since 2000. This action would cause our transportation system to lose approximately \$600 million in revenues.

Third, the provisions found in Article 3, Sec. 6, subd.1(i)(1) & (2) are likely unconstitutional. Revenues deposited in the state's Highway User Tax Distribution Fund are constitutionally dedicated for road and highway purposes. This bill routes some of those monies to the general fund for other non-highway purposes.

Fourth, the provision found in Article 3, Sec. 5, which would dedicate a portion of the existing state sales tax to transit systems, is objectionable. This provision is inconsistent with the state budget I have proposed for the 2006-07 biennium.

Fifth, the bill provides disproportionate increases to transit which are not properly balanced against funding needs for roads.

On a more positive note, the legislation contains a cornerstone of my transportation proposal - a constitutional amendment to dedicate 100% of the proceeds of the Motor Vehicle Sales Tax to transportation needs, phased-in over a five year period. This provision will go forward notwithstanding my veto because constitutional amendments are not subject to veto. I thank the legislature for passing this key part of our plan.

That dedicated funding source created by the constitutional amendment will provide an additional \$615 million per biennium for transportation when it is fully implemented. It will help meet long-term needs for state highways and local roads, and would provide the first-ever constitutionally dedicated revenue stream for metro and Greater Minnesota transit.

I also am encouraged that the legislation includes \$1 billion in state trunk highway bonds, though I believe a significantly larger trunk highway bonding package is both warranted and necessary to make measurable progress in reducing the backlog of unfunded, critical state highway improvement projects.

My administration has proposed a significant, reasonable and responsible transportation financing package that would provide state highways, local governments and transit more than \$7 billion in transportation spending - without raising taxes. I urge the Legislature to renew efforts to pass my administration's plan during the 2005 legislative session so we can move forward with the job of improving Minnesota's transportation system.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY
Governor

# MESSAGES, COMMUNICATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS RECEIVED SUBSEQUENT TO ADJOURNMENT

The following messages, communications and announcements were received subsequent to adjournment by the House:

#### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby announce that the Senate has concurred in and adopted the report of the Conference Committee on:

H. F. No. 2121, A bill for an act relating to commerce; requiring businesses that possess personal data to notify persons whose personal information has been disclosed to unauthorized persons; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325E.

The Senate has repassed said bill in accordance with the recommendation and report of the Conference Committee. Said House File is herewith returned to the House.

PATRICE DWORAK, First Assistant Secretary of the Senate

May 19, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

- H. F. No. 1761, relating to health; providing for voluntary disenrollment from MinnesotaCare for certain members of the military.
  - H. F. No. 947, relating to health; providing for an optional record of birth resulting in stillbirth.
- H. F. No. 1333, relating to local government; permitting the cities of Wabasha and Ortonville to establish a port authority commission.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

#### STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2005 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S. F. No.	H. F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	11me ana Date Approved 2005	Date Filed 2005
	1761	59	3:55 p.m. May 19	May 19
	947	60	4:00 p.m. May 19	May 19
	1333	61	3:50 p.m. May 19	May 19

Sincerely,

May 23, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

- H. F. No. 1461, relating to motor vehicles; modifying and simplifying provisions related to parking for persons with disabilities; making technical and clarifying changes.
- H. F. No. 1922, relating to state government; authorizing the commissioner of administration to transfer state surplus computers to Minnesota Computers for Schools.
- H. F. No. 732, relating to local government; authorizing electric or utility special assessments exceeding standards on petition of all affected owners.
  - H. F. No. 1951, relating to human services; changing long-term care provisions.
  - H. F. No. 1583, relating to consumer protection; regulating membership travel contracts.
- H. F. No. 128, relating to civil actions; authorizing the recovery of attorney fees by funeral providers in actions to recover costs of services.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

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		Time and				
S. F.	H. F.	Session Laws	Date Approved	Date Filed		
No.	No.	Chapter No.	2005	2005		
1355		62	11:30 a.m. May 23	May 23		
1869		63	11:00 a.m. May 23	May 23		
	1461	64	11:36 a.m. May 23	May 23		
	1922	65	11:25 a.m. May 23	May 23		
314		66	11:40 a.m. May 23	May 23		
	732	67	11:45 a.m. May 23	May 23		
	1951	68	11:50 a.m. May 23	May 23		
767		69	12:00 p.m. May 23	May 23		
	1583	70	11:15 a.m. May 23	May 23		
	128	71	11:20 a.m. May 23	May 23		
1296		72	12:10 p.m. May 23	May 23		
917		124	3:10 p.m. May 23	May 23		

Mary Kiffmeyer Secretary of State

#### STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

May 24, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

- H. F. No. 1669, relating to insurance; regulating certain fees, rate filings, policy renewals and alterations, insurance holding company systems, and insurance information reporting practices.
- H. F. No. 2028, relating to counties; providing a process for making certain offices appointive in Pope, Lac qui Parle, and Nobles Counties.
- H. F. No. 2110, relating to domestic abuse; limiting required findings when awarding custody and parenting time in the context of a domestic abuse hearing.
- H. F. No. 1320, relating to Hennepin County; modifying regional park district provisions; providing for a longer term of office for the park superintendent.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2005 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

			Time and	
S. F.	H. F.	Session Laws	Date Approved	Date Filed
No.	No.	Chapter No.	2005	2005
735		73	1:23 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1669	74	1:40 p.m. May 24	May 24
	2028	75	1:10 p.m. May 24	May 24
	2110	76	1:45 p.m. May 24	May 24
1998		77	1:55 p.m. May 24	May 24
1335		78	1:17 p.m. May 24	May 24
1509		79	2:01 p.m. May 24	May 24
663		80	2:05 p.m. May 24	May 24
1064		81	2:10 p.m. May 24	May 24
	1320	82	2:15 p.m. May 24	May 24
2259		83	2:45 p.m. May 24	May 24
1378		84	2:50 p.m. May 24	May 24
718		85	2:55 p.m. May 24	May 24
1405		86	3:00 p.m. May 24	May 24
1485		87	3:10 p.m. May 24	May 24

Sincerely,

MARY KIFFMEYER Secretary of State

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

May 25, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

- H. F. No. 2156, relating to civil law; providing for certain conservator's transactions.
- H. F. No. 466, relating to agriculture; changing certain warehouse laws.

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

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S. F. No.	Н. F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 2005	Date Filed 2005
1738		89	11:55 a.m. May 25	May 25
1716		90	12:10 p.m. May 25	May 25
	2156	91	4:05 p.m. May 25	May 25
	466	92	12:15 p.m. May 25	May 25
1945		93	12:20 p.m. May 25	May 25
1379		94	12:25 p.m. May 25	May 25
1268		95	12:31 p.m. May 25	May 25
1861		96	12:40 p.m. May 25	May 25
1368		97	1:10 p.m. May 25	May 25
1720		98	12:55 p.m. May 25	May 25

Sincerely,

May 26, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House File:

H. F. No. 1385, relating to higher education; allocating money for educational and related purposes with certain conditions; modifying various loan, grant, and financial aid provisions; requiring institutions to provide certain data; permitting disclosure of certain data to determine eligibility; amending various reciprocity provisions; providing definitions; amending provisions related to advisory and student groups; directing the Board of Trustees to designate centers of excellence; amending the Minnesota college savings plan; amending provisions related to private career schools; establishing fees; establishing the Rochester University Development Committee; appropriating money.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

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	Time and					
S. F. No.	H. F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Date Approved 2005	Date Filed 2005		
	1385	107	9:45 a.m. May 26	May 26		

Sincerely,

Mary Kiffmeyer Secretary of State

May 26, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

- H. F. No. 1109, relating to public safety; reviving and reenacting the board of firefighting training and education.
- H. F. No. 898, relating to unemployment insurance; conforming various provisions to federal requirements; making technical and housekeeping changes; modifying appeal procedures.
- H. F. No. 1748, relating to state employees; modifying grievance appeal procedures; eliminating a medical examination requirement.
- H. F. No. 400, relating to unemployment insurance; making an eligibility exception permanent for certain school food service workers.
- H. F. No. 1164, relating to traffic regulations; providing eligibility criteria for business panels on logo sign panels; clarifying duty of driver when passing parked emergency vehicle; authorizing issuance of citation within four hours after violation.
- H. F. No. 675, relating to health; modifying the hospice care bill of rights; requiring hospice providers to complete a specified survey; modifying death report requirements for recipients of hospice care.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

May 27, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

- H. F. No. 478, relating to counties; providing for alternative filing of surveys; modifying requirements for land surveyors; providing for a transfer of records.
- H. F. No. 42, relating to firearms; temporarily authorizing the use of silencers to muffle discharges of firearms for natural resource wildlife control.
  - H. F. No. 419, relating to game and fish; modifying protection status of great horned owls.
- H. F. No. 436, relating to natural resources; requiring commissioner's evaluation before vacating certain roads adjacent to public waters; creating right of intervention; providing an exemption for participants in National Veterans Wheelchair Games.
- H. F. No. 367, relating to real property; providing for certain defeasible estates; modifying residential purchase agreement cancellations; amending the foreclosure advice notice; modifying the description of land deleted from the Mississippi Recreational River Land Use District in Sherburne County.
  - H. F. No. 369, relating to real property; amending the Minnesota Common Interest Ownership Act.

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

#### STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ST. PAUL 55155

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No.	No.	Chapter No.	2005	2005
	478	99	3:50 p.m. May 27	May 27
1815		100	3:10 p.m. May 27	May 27
1326		101	4:00 p.m. May 27	May 27
	42	102	4:15 p.m. May 27	May 27
1371		103	2:50 p.m. May 27	May 27
	419	104	2:40 p.m. May 27	May 27
1908		105	4:50 p.m. May 27	May 27
1579		106	9:25 p.m. May 26	May 27

1360		109	2:45 p.m. May 27	May 27
	1109	110	10:05 p.m. May 26	May 27
379		111	3:42 p.m. May 27	May 27
	898	112	9:10 p.m. May 26	May 27
370		113	3:50 p.m. May 27	May 27
	1748	114	8:30 p.m. May 26	May 27
	400	115	8:55 p.m. May 26	May 27
1479		116	9:40 p.m. May 26	May 27
	436	117	3:15 p.m. May 27	May 27
1636		118	3:05 p.m. May 27	May 27
	367	119	4:41 p.m. May 27	May 27
	1164	120	8:45 p.m. May 26	May 27
	369	121	3:35 p.m. May 27	May 27
	675	122	8:10 p.m. May 26	May 27
629		123	8:40 p.m. May 26	May 27

MARY KIFFMEYER Secretary of State

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

June 1, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

## Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

- H. F. No. 2192, relating to adoption; providing for data collection and best practice guidelines for conducting postadoption services; requiring a report.
  - H. F. No. 423, relating to health; exempting hot tubs on rental houseboats from regulation as public pools.
- H. F. No. 987, relating to child safety; prohibiting the sale and commercial use of certain cribs; providing enforcement.
- H. F. No. 986, relating to economic development; redefining low-income area for the purpose of the urban initiative program.
  - H. F. No. 973, relating to employee relations; modifying state employment provisions.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

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S. F.	H. F.	Session Laws	Date Approved	Date Filed
No.	No.	Chapter No.	$2\hat{0}\hat{0}5$	2005
1984		127	3:31 p.m. June 1	June 2
	2192	129	3:33 p.m. June 1	June 2
	423	130	3:35 p.m. June 1	June 2
1780		133	3:15 p.m. June 1	June 2
	987	139	3:25 p.m. June 1	June 2
	986	142	3:19 p.m. June 1	June 2
	973	144	3:10 p.m. June 1	June 2

Sincerely,

MARY KIFFMEYER Secretary of State

#### STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

June 2, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

H. F. No. 1, relating to public safety; appropriating money for the courts, public defenders, public safety, corrections, and other criminal justice agencies; establishing, funding, modifying, and regulating public safety, criminal justice, judiciary, law enforcement, corrections, and crime victim services, policies, programs, duties, activities, or practices; requiring studies and reports; imposing criminal and civil penalties; setting or increasing fines, surcharges, and fees; implementing comprehensive sex offender and methamphetamine policies.

- H. F. No. 473, relating to creditors' remedies; exempting certain jewelry from attachment, garnishment, or sale.
- H. F. No. 1528, relating to insurance; regulating claims practices.
- H. F. No. 2279, relating to the city of Cologne; providing exemption to wetland replacement requirements.
- H. F. No. 1507, relating to health; modifying provisions for isolation and quarantine of persons exposed to or infected with a communicable disease.
- H. F. No. 2228, relating to financing and operation of government in this state; recodifying and clarifying the powers of the commissioner of revenue; changing income, corporate franchise, withholding, estate, property, sales and use, mortgage registry, motor fuels, gambling, cigarette and tobacco products, liquor, insurance, and other taxes and tax-related provisions; making technical, clarifying, collection, enforcement, refund, and administrative changes to certain taxes and tax-related provisions, tax-forfeited lands, revenue recapture, unfair cigarette sales, state debt collection, sustainable forest incentive programs, border city development, property tax refund, and metropolitan solid waste landfill fee; changing local government aids and credits; providing for determination of population for certain purposes; changing property tax exemptions, homesteads, assessment, valuation, classification, levies, deferral, review and equalization, appeals, notices and statements, allocation, and distribution provisions; changing provisions relating to manufactured home certificates of title; providing for compliance with streamlined sales tax agreement; authorizing charges for certain emergency services; regulating tax preparers; prohibiting purchases of tax-forfeited lands by certain local officials; providing for data classification and exchange of data; providing and imposing powers and duties on the commissioner of revenue and on certain political subdivisions and officials; changing town spending and taxing provisions; changing and imposing penalties; reducing certain court appropriations; transferring funds; recodifying a criminal penalty; appropriating money.
- H. F. No. 2498, relating to public finance; authorizing purchases of certain guaranteed investment contracts; authorizing a special levy; modifying a taconite fund provision; modifying the authority of cities and counties to finance purchases of computers and related items; extending the term of certain notes; clarifying the financing of conservation easements; extending sunsets on establishment of special service districts and housing improvement areas; authorizing municipalities to improve streets and roads outside municipal boundaries; providing for financing of certain improvements; extending the maximum maturity of certain bonds; revising time for certain notices of issues; exempting obligations issued to pay judgments from net debt limits; modifying limits on city capital improvement bonds and enabling certain towns to issue bonds under a capital improvement plan; authorizing the issuance of certain revenue bonds; modifying certain tax increment financing provisions; providing a bidding exception; increasing reserve from public facilities pool for certain purposes; providing for payment of certain refunding bonds; abolishing the housing bond credit enhancement program and providing for debt service on the bonds; authorizing a tax abatement extension; appropriating money for certain refunds.
- H. F. No. 1272, relating to professional firms; including marriage and family therapy in the definition of professional services; allowing marriage and family therapists to practice professional services in combination.
- H. F. No. 974, relating to public safety; providing that a peace officer may operate any vehicle or combination of vehicles; making clarifying changes.

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

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S. F.	H. F.	Session Laws	Date Approved	Date Filed
No.	No.	Chapter No.	2005	2005
232		126	2:15 p.m. June 2	June 2
	1	136	3:20 p.m. June 2	June 2
	473	137	2:25 p.m. June 2	June 2
	1528	140	2:45 p.m. June 2	June 2
	2279	143	2:30 p.m. June 2	June 2
	1507	149	2:00 p.m. June 2	June 2
	2228	151	11:50 a.m. June 2	June 2
	2498	152	1:45 p.m. June 2	June 2
	1272	153	2:05 p.m. June 2	June 2
	974	160	2:10 p.m. June 2	June 2
953		169	2:40 p.m. June 2	June 2

Sincerely,

MARY KIFFMEYER Secretary of State

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

June 2, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

- H. F. No. 2187, relating to public and municipal corporations; creating a county subsidiary corporation to provide health care and related services, education, and research; providing for governance of Hennepin County Medical Center.
- H. F. No. 742, relating to employment; providing exemptions from employment agency licensing requirements; prohibiting certain fee payments; extending a pilot project.
- H. F. No. 2121, relating to commerce; requiring businesses that possess personal data to notify persons whose personal information has been disclosed to unauthorized persons.

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

# STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR SAINT PAUL 55155

June 3, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

- H. F. No. 1809, relating to insurance; regulating agency terminations, coverages, fees, forms, disclosures, reports, information security, and premiums.
- H. F. No. 894, relating to waters; modifying authority for public waters inventory; modifying public waters work permit and water use permit provisions; modifying enforcement authority; modifying a restriction on private land sale in Scott County.
- H. F. No. 823, relating to natural resources; modifying the State Timber Act; modifying timber sale requirements on tax-forfeited land; clarifying state forest road designation; modifying standard measurements for wood.
- H. F. No. 2133, relating to state government; authorizing lease of certain state property under specified conditions.
- H. F. No. 847, relating to game and fish; modifying purchasing requirements; providing for background checks; modifying certain definitions; providing for special fish management tags; specifying status of and regulating stands and blinds on public lands; modifying authority to take animals causing damage; modifying use of scopes and laser sights by visually impaired hunters; modifying certain license requirements; modifying restrictions on taking waterfowl and big game; authorizing rulemaking; modifying requirements for field training hunting dogs; modifying

certain seasons; modifying trapping provisions; modifying period for treeing raccoons; prohibiting computer-assisted remote hunting; modifying restrictions on decoys; modifying disposition of state hatchery products; modifying fishing and commercial fishing provisions; repealing authority for the Mississippi River Fish Refuge; repealing authority to issue certain orders.

- H. F. No. 221, relating to civil actions; regulating liability on land used for recreational purposes; modifying the definition of recreational purpose.
- H. F. No. 1555, relating to health; modifying the Minnesota Emergency Health Powers Act; modifying authority of out-of-state license holders; providing for emergency executive order.
  - H. F. No. 1176, relating to education; modifying teacher license variance for certain special education teachers.
- H. F. No. 2448, relating to forecast adjustments; making forecast adjustments for prekindergarten through grade 12 education and human services programs; providing for human services savings; appropriating money.
  - H. F. No. 1470, relating to environment; authorizing annual adjustment of dry cleaner environmental fees.
- H. F. No. 1889, relating to human services; implementing child protection, child care, and child and family support provisions.
- H. F. No. 814, relating to natural resources; state lands; modifying requirements for designation of scientific and natural areas; authorizing the private sale of certain surplus state lands; authorizing the public and private sale of certain tax-forfeited lands bordering public waters; providing for an easement on state land bordering a public water; authorizing conveyance of an easement.
- H. F. No. 874, relating to elections; setting standards for and providing for the acquisition of electronic voting systems; appropriating money from the Help America Vote Act account.
- H. F. No. 225, relating to data practices; making technical, conforming, and clarifying changes to the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act; defining terms; classifying, regulating, and reviewing access to and dissemination of certain data; providing notice of breaches in security; regulating certain fees; providing for the conduct of certain board and council meetings; modifying provisions regulating motor vehicle and driver applications and records; regulating disclosure of nonidentifying sales tax returns; modifying vehicle accident reports and procedures; providing for treatment of data held by the comprehensive incident-based reporting system; regulating use of Social Security numbers; classifying certain animal health data; defining terms and regulating data privacy practices for wireless telecommunications; providing for a review of the handling of genetic information.
- H. F. No. 1816, relating to human services; extending coverage of certain mental health services; providing for children's mental health services; changing certain civil commitment provisions; establishing a task force to study disposition of persons committed as sexually dangerous or sexual psychopathic personality; requiring a report.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY
Governor

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

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S. F.	H. F.	Session Laws	Date Approved	Date Filed
No.	No.	Chapter No.	2005	2005
	2187	125	5:40 p.m. June 2	June 3
2160		128	11:15 a.m. June 3	June 3
664		131	5:20 p.m. June 2	June 3
	1809	132	8:15 a.m. June 3	June 3
	742	134	4:50 p.m. June 2	June 3
808		135	11:00 a.m. June 3	June 3
	894	138	8:35 a.m. June 3	June 3
	823	141	8:25 a.m. June 3	June 3
	2133	145	11:04 a.m. June 3	June 3
	847	146	8:45 a.m. June 3	June 3
	221	148	9:03 a.m. June 3	June 3
	1555	150	8:05 a.m. June 3	June 3
	1176	154	10:55 a.m. June 3	June 3
	2448	155	9:00 a.m. June 3	June 3
	1470	157	9:00 a.m. June 3	June 3
2093		158	5:10 p.m. June 2	June 3
	1889	159	8:55 a.m. June 3	June 3
	814	161	8:30 a.m. June 3	June 3
	874	162	11:10 a.m. June 3	June 3
	225	163	10:50 a.m. June 3	June 3
630		164	10:30 a.m. June 3	June 3
	1816	165	8:00 a.m. June 3	June 3
1555		166	10:40 a.m. June 3	June 3
	2121	167	4:45 p.m. June 2	June 3
1231		168	4:55 p.m. June 2	June 3

Sincerely,

June 3, 2005

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House File:

H. F. No. 1481, relating to government operations; appropriating money for the general legislative and administrative expenses of state government; regulating state and local government operations; modifying provisions related to public employment; ratifying certain labor agreements and compensation plans; regulating elections and campaign finance; regulating Minneapolis teacher pensions; modifying provisions related to the military and veterans; authorizing rulemaking.

Sincerely,

TIM PAWLENTY Governor

#### STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Steve Sviggum Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable James P. Metzen President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2005 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S. F.		Time and					
	H. F.	Session Laws	Date Approved	Date Filed			
No.	No.	Chapter No.	2005	2005			
1204		147	4:50 p.m. June 3	June 6			
	1481	156	4:55 p.m. June 3	June 6			

Sincerely,

#### DISPOSITION OF BILLS UPON ADJOURNMENT

#### REPORT PURSUANT TO HOUSE RULE 4.20

Pursuant to House Rule 4.20, the following bills were returned to the standing committee last acting on the bill:

- H. F. Nos. 318, 1747 and 1857; and S. F. Nos. 333, 969 and 1772 were returned to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.
- H. F. Nos. 215 and 1026 were returned to the Committee on Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Finance.
  - H. F. No. 2454 was returned to the Committee on Capital Investment.
- H. F. Nos. 515, 665, 674, 806, 822, 923, 1204, 1352, 1418, 1551, 1608, 1655, 1717, 1785, 1845, 1872, 1879, 1948, 1986, 2039, 2099, 2153 and 2226; and S. F. Nos. 607, 1315 and 1563 were returned to the Committee on Civil Law and Elections.
  - H. F. Nos. 12, 672, 944, 1939 and 2141 were returned to the Committee on Commerce and Financial Institutions.
  - H. F. Nos. 295, 1016, 1364 and 2132 were returned to the Committee on Education Policy and Reform.
  - H. F. Nos. 371 and 683 were returned to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.
- H. F. Nos. 307, 417, 433, 896, 1316, 1340 and 1368; and S. F. Nos. 483 and 1622 were returned to the Committee on Governmental Operations and Veterans Affairs.
- H. F. Nos. 664, 1143, 1162, 1265 and 1921; and S. F. No. 909 were returned to the Committee on Health Policy and Finance.
  - H. F. No. 358 was returned to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Opportunity Policy and Finance.
- H. F. Nos. 544, 587, 1258, 1365 and 1525; and S. F. Nos. 471, 893 and 1905 were returned to the Committee on Local Government.
- H. F. Nos. 1298, 1464 and 2116; and S. F. No. 87 were returned to the Committee on Public Safety Policy and Finance.
  - H. F. Nos. 519, 942 and 1530 were returned to the Committee on Regulated Industries.
- H. F. Nos. 2063, 2097, 2129, 2255 and 2519; and S. F. No. 1940 were returned to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.
  - H. F. No. 913 and S. F. No. 418 were returned to the Committee on State Government Finance.
  - H. F. No. 472 and S. F. Nos. 1089 and 1604 were returned to the Committee on Transportation.
- H. F. Nos. 310, 455, 514 and 2243; and S. F. Nos. 427 and 1298 were returned to the Committee on Ways and Means.

#### REPORT PURSUANT TO JOINT RULE 3.02(a)

Pursuant to Joint Rule 3.02(a), the following bills, which were being considered by a Conference Committee at the time of adjournment, were returned to the House and laid on the table and the Conference Committees were discharged:

H. F. Nos. 785, 872, 902, 1420, 1422, 1915 and 1976.

#### REPORT PURSUANT TO JOINT RULE 3.02(b)

Pursuant to Joint Rule 3.02(b), the following bills, which were being re-referred to the House Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration pursuant to Joint Rule 2.03 were returned to the standing committee to which they were last previously referred:

- H. F. No. 2229 was returned to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Opportunity Policy and Finance.
- H. F. Nos. 632, 1173, 1174 and 1818 were returned to the Committee on Taxes.
- H. F. Nos. 751, 1003, 1172 and 2335; and S. F. Nos. 1621 and 1846 were returned to the Committee on Ways and Means.

#### REPORT PURSUANT TO JOINT RULE 3.02(c)

Pursuant to Joint Rule 3.02(c), there were no bills returned to the House by the Governor with his objection and laid on the table for the 2005 Legislative Session.

#### **CERTIFICATE**

I certify that the Journal of the House for Monday, May 23, 2005, including subsequent proceedings, has been corrected and is hereby approved.

ALBIN A. MATHIOWETZ, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives